

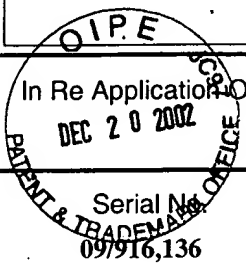
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
S03357/1 US



In Re Application Of: **Ricardo R cha et al.**

Serial No.  
09/916,136

Filing Date  
July 26, 2001

Examiner  
TBA

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1614

Invention: **ALDOSTERONE BLOCKER THERAPY TO PREVENT OR TREAT INFLAMMATION-RELATED DISORDERS**

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 08/26/02 above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month    ☒ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: 10/26/02  
*Date*

until: 12/26/02  
*Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$400** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No.  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No.  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

*Signature*

**Philip B. Polster, II**

**Reg. No. 43,864**

Dated: **December 20, 2002**

I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on 12/20/02 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

*Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence*

**Philip B. Polster, II**

*Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence*

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